

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, APRIL 11, 2000**, upon the application of **STRAT LAND EXPLORATION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Lower Hosston Formation**, in the Lisbon Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize Strat Land Exploration Company to drill, designate and utilize its Nolen No. 1 Well as the substitute unit well for L HOSS SUO which location is an exception to the spacing rules for the Lower Hosston Formation.
2. To establish that the designation of the Nolen No. 1 well as the substitute unit well for L HOSS SUO at the proposed exceptional location is necessary and will avoid the drilling of an unnecessary well.
3. To recognize Strat Land Exploration Company as operator of L HOSS SUO.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Lower Hosston Formation, in the Lisbon Field (formerly Northeast Lisbon Field), Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 9-P, effective on and after February 1, 1966.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES

COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.